RABIES CONTACT INFORMATION

Who to Call for Assistance

Department of Agriculture

For questions concerning domestic animals (e.g. biting incidents, quarantine, vaccination)

* Animal Control Division

860-713-2506 (M-F, 8:00-4:30)

* State Veterinarian

https://portal.ct.gov/DOAG/Regulatory/Regulatory/State-Veterinarian

860-713-2505 (M-F, 8:00-4:30)

Department of Energy & Environmental Protection

For questions concerning wildlife (e.g. biting incidents, wildlife management, rehabilitation)

* Wildlife Division

860-424-3011 (M-F, 8:00-4:30)

* Environmental Conservation Police

860-424-3333 (after-hours) *

http://www.ct.gov/deep/cwp/view.asp?a=2723&q=325944&depNav GID=1655

Department of Public Health

For questions concerning rabies in people (e.g. risk assessment, treatment)

* Epidemiology Program

860-509-7994 (M-F, 8:30-4:30)

For questions concerning submission of animals for testing (e.g. packaging, forms) State Laboratory

https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Epidemiology-and-Emerging-Infections/Rabies

860-920-6500 (M-F, 8:00-4:00)

Connecticut Veterinary Medical Association

For questions regarding rabies clinics

* http://www.ctvet.org/

860-635-7770

University of Connecticut

For questions regarding submission of livestock for testing (e.g. cost, requirements)

* Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory

860-486-3738 (M-F, 8:30-4:30) *

http://cvmdl.uconn.edu/

Local Animal Control Officer – found in the blue pages of the telephone directory or on your town or municipal website. *For reporting incidents of animals biting people or domestic animals*

Local Health Department – listing available at

http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/view.asp?a=3123&q=397740

For questions concerning rabies in people (e.g. risk assessment, treatment)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

For information about rabies in the United States

* http://www.cdc.gov/rabies/

When prompt assistance is needed call your local police department!

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